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The Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 25, 2002 for which a period of three months was set for response, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

delete all pages of claims and insert therefor two new pages, to provide a new set of 15 claims;

In the specification:

page 7 line 7, delete Ais≡

page 8 line 23, delete Asuch≡ and insert ....Such.....;

Page 9 line 2, delete Alattch≡ and insert .....latch....

**REMARKS**

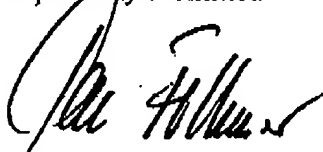
By the foregoing the application has been amended in claims 5 and 14. Applicant encloses marked-up pages wherein deleted matter is bracketted, and added matter is underlined.

Minor amendments have been made to the specification to correct obvious errors.

It is believed that the foregoing is fully responsive to the Office Action, and that all application is now placed in condition for allowance. Early and favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Applicant has reviewed the prior art made of record by the examiner, and is of the belief that the instant disclosure sets forth an improvement over the prior art, and that the claims are all directed to a patentable invention.

Respectfully submitted



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